

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

RAKEEM SHEPARD,

Plaintiff,

v.

F. ARTIS, et al.,

Defendants.

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Case No. 1:22-cv-326

Hon. Hala Y. Jarbou

**ORDER**

On August 29, 2023, Magistrate Judge Sally J. Berens issued a Report and Recommendation (R&R) recommending that the Court grant Defendants' Motion for Summary Judgment (ECF No. 61). The R&R was duly served on the parties. No objections have been filed, and the deadline for doing so expired on September 26, 2023. On review, the Court concludes that the R&R correctly analyzes the issues and makes a sound recommendation. Accordingly,

**IT IS ORDERED** that the R&R (ECF No. 61) is **APPROVED** and **ADOPTED** as the opinion of the Court.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Defendants' Motion for Summary Judgment (ECF No. 49) is **GRANTED**.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Court finds that an appeal would not be taken in good faith. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(3).

A judgment will issue in accordance with this order.

Dated: October 2, 2023

/s/ Hala Y. Jarbou

HALA Y. JARBOU

CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE